

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Seigo KOTANI et al.

Serial No. 09/800,505

Group Art Unit: 2134

Confirmation No. 2180

Filed: March 8, 2001

Examiner: Michael J. Simitoski

For: INFORMATION MANAGEMENT METHOD AND INFORMATION MANAGEMENT
APPARATUS

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 18, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on December 18, 2006. A Petition for a two-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to February 20, 2007 (Tuesday after President's Day Holiday).

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.